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Fine quality White Mercerized Batiste, ..... 25c  
45 inch White French Lawns and Wash Chiffons, ..... 23c  
Imported White Pin Dot Swisses, at 39c, 50c and 60c.  
36 inch White Pin Dot Swiss, .... 18c  
42 inch White Voile, ..... 19c  
38 inch Marquisettes, white and evening shades, ..... 19c  
27 inch White Marquisettes, .... 15c  
36 inch Cream Whipcord, ..... 39c  
36 inch Cream Serge, with black pencil stripes, ..... 39c  
50 in. Cream Serge, ..... 89c  
White Wash Silks, .. 23c, 39c, 50c  
36 inch Messalines, cream and white, at ..... 89c  
Heavy welt white Corduroys, ..... 25c  
Lot fancy colored Silks, ..... 15c  
36 inch heavy welt, white Pique, .. 19c  
New lot 27 inch Embroidery Flouncing, ..... 69c  
Irish Point Edging and Bandings, at ..... 29c  
Wide Sash Ribbons, ..... 15c  
Ladies' black Seco Silk Waists, tailor made, ..... 98c  
Ladies' white Seco Silk Waists, tailor made, ..... 98c  
Ladies' white embroidered Princess Dresses, ..... \$3.98  
Children's white Dresses, ..... at 98c, \$1.50, \$2.49  
Ladies' one-piece Dresses, made of Anderson Gingham, \$2.98, \$3.98  
Ladies' House Dresses, chambray and percale, ..... \$1.29  
Ladies' tailor made white Rep Skirts, at ..... \$1.29  
Ladies' long silk Gloves, white and black, ..... 69c  
Ladies' silk Hosiery, tan, black and white, ..... 23c  
American Lady Corsets, ..... 89c  
Men's Coat Shirts, ..... 43c  
Men's and Boys' balbriggan Underwear, ..... 19c

**D. BENDHEIM and SONS**

316 King Street

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria--Happenings in Society.

Mrs. Rathbone Smith and her sister, Miss Kitty Barrett, are expected to return from Cape Henry on Wednesday morning and leave on Thursday for British Columbia. Miss Barrett will remain in Canada until the fall.

Mr. Edmund Hunt Roberts is spending a few days in Norfolk.

Mr. George H. Rucker, of Alexandria county who has been visiting in Hampton and Norfolk since the close of the Democratic State convention returned home this morning on the steamer "Northland."

Mr. and Mrs. William Pollard, and little Misses Anna and Sarah Pollard, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Pollard, have returned to their home in Washington.

Miss Ida Mason and Miss Elizabeth Atkinson, both of Richmond, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julian T. Burke.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, who has been spending several weeks at her cottage at Cape Henry, is now in New York City.

Miss Elena Norris, who has recently been confined to her home by indisposition, is much better.

Mr. Cecil Kent Sherman has been offered a position in St. Louis, Mo., which he thinks of accepting. His many friends in Alexandria will regret his departure.

Miss Harriet Pollard, who has been the guest of friends in Plainfield, N. J., is now visiting in Philadelphia.

Mr. George T. Anderton arrived today to spend some time with his family at their home in Braddock Heights.

Mrs. Alexander M. Keppel, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Henry Starr Wattle, has returned to her home in Washington.

Mrs. Robert Beverly Minis, of New York, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis James Davidson.

Miss Ella Rose Smoot is the guest of Mrs. Warner Moore, in Richmond.

Mrs. William Upshur Nottingham, of Eastville, is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Rev. Edgar Carpenter and Mrs. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemp L. Lambeth have returned from a visit to Harrisonburg, Pa.

Robert S. Barrett, who has been attending the Democratic State convention in Norfolk returned home this morning.

Mr. William A. Sullivan, who was recently operated upon in Richmond, is convalescing, and has returned to his position in the American Glass Works in Richmond. Mr. Sullivan expects to spend several weeks in Alexandria during the summer.

## THE CONFEDERATE SEAL.

Proposed Sale of Relic Brings Statement From Former Alexandria Lady.

Mrs. Ada Penn Brookes, widow of Wm. Penn Brooks, of Norfolk, was in the city on Saturday and met a number of her friends and acquaintances of earlier years. Mrs. Brookes is a daughter of the late Walter L. Penn, who in foregone days was superintendent of police of Alexandria, and a prominent politician. During the civil war and reconstruction days which followed the close of that conflict he took a prominent part in local politics. He died in the latter part of March 1885. Previous to his death he had filled a position in the internal revenue department.

Mrs. Brookes was married in 1860, after which she removed with her husband to Norfolk, where she has since resided. She, like others who were in that city during the outbreak of the civil war, passed through trying experiences. She says that the flag of the late Southern Confederacy was about to be furlled two young men soldiers in the Confederate army gave her an impression of the seal of the Confederacy, and when she asked them to give her the seal, they told her that they had imperative orders from the secretary of state, to cast it into the middle of Chesapeake Bay. They were then on their way to carry out orders which she has every reason to believe they obeyed. The soldiers told Mrs. Brookes to keep the impression which they gave her as a memento of the Confederate States. It was made on a piece of note paper which was manufactured in the south. A few days ago Mrs. Brookes read in the paper that what is alleged to be the seal of the Confederacy is about to be purchased for \$27,000, which brought to mind the incident described above.

She had carefully preserved the impression of the seal and will present it to R. E. Lee Camp of Confederate veterans, who will place it in their museum.

There seems to be several claimants to the original seal of the Confederacy. A negro, it will be remembered stated recently that President Davis gave him the seal as the President of the Confederacy was preparing to leave Richmond after the surrender of General Robert E. Lee.

## POLICE COURT.

The following cases were disposed of this morning.

Anderson Johnson, colored, charged with gambling, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

Henry Morgan, colored, charged with carrying iron knuckles, was fined \$20.

Joseph Timbers, colored, charged with assaulting Joseph Pollard, colored with a pistol, was fined \$5.

A white man, charged with disorderly conduct and fighting had his case continued.

Laura Artist, colored, charged with violating the law for the segregation of the races on cars, forfeited her collateral by failing to appear.

A storekeeper, charged with maintaining a nuisance in the alley in the rear of his store, was fined \$2.

Two storekeepers, charged with obstructing the sidewalk on King street were dismissed.

## DECORATION DAY.

Programme of Memorial Services in the National Cemetery Thursday.

Services appropriate to Decoration Day (Thursday next) will be held in the National Cemetery at this place at four o'clock in the afternoon. The programme will be as follows:

Bugle call, (assembly) Miss Dora Garney.

Invocation, Rev. John Lee Allison.

Song, Choir.

Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, W. P. Graves.

Song, Sunday School Children.

Annual Address, Major Thomas H. McKee.

Short Remarks, Etc., Different People.

Song, Choir.

Taps, Miss Dora Garney.

Alexandria Light Infantry will at sunset fire a salute over the graves of the 3560 Union soldiers buried in the National Cemetery.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

## HORSE AND BUGGY MISSING.

On Saturday afternoon a man who gave his name as J. M. Ramsay went to the Mount Vernon stables and hired a horse and buggy. He stated that he was connected with the circus, and would have use for the "fix" for about two hours. The man failed to reappear with the horse and buggy armed, and the proprietor, becoming alarmed, a messenger was sent to the circus grounds, but those connected with the show knew nothing of the man.

As will be seen by an advertisement elsewhere in the Gazette, a reward of \$25 is offered for information which may lead to the recovery of the horse and buggy.

## IMPROVEMENTS AT HOME

Through the generosity of William Desmond extensive improvements have been made at the Children's Home, which is one of Alexandria's most deserving charitable enterprises. The entire plumbing work has been gone over and the building placed in a most excellent sanitary condition. The work was done by Mr. Desmond without charge and is most appreciated by the board of managers.

The home is making splendid progress and is doing a great work in caring for the many homeless children who are sheltered within its walls.

At a recent meeting of the board of managers a change was made in the officers, Mrs. T. Clifton Howard becoming president in place of Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. Matthews taking Mrs. Howard's former position as recording secretary.

## PLUGS TO BE FLUSHED.

As will be seen by an advertisement in the Gazette, the water plugs of the city will be flushed tomorrow and Wednesday.

The flushing will begin at 7 o'clock in the morning. Consumers will take notice and act accordingly.

Collingwood Club will devote next Thursday to the ladies, and a merry time is expected at their club house on the Potomac. A meeting of the committee having the arrangements in charge will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock, in the Elks Building.

## Woodward & Lothrop

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This Week

In the interest of all those desiring the finest underwear, and with a view to assisting the June bride in making her selections.

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The most important mission of these beautifully designed, elegantly styled, and exquisitely hand-embroidered and lace-trimmed garments is dressing the bride. And this is a most proper time for their use, their great beauty and fineness of character apparently being significant of such a sacred and solemn occasion. The display is most comprehensive, and prospective brides will find this exclusive assortment ample in every particular.

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ASSETS, MAY 15, 1900, \$571,631.45.

ASSETS, MAY 15, 1904, \$712,356.12.

ASSETS, MAY 15, 1908, \$978,560.08.

ASSETS, MAY 15, 1912, \$1,171,151.63.

We issue American Bankers Association and American Express Company Travelers Cheques.

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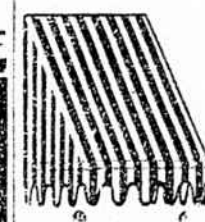
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## The Hot Sun of Summer.

Can be kept out of your windows by purchasing one of our new

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We have them in all sizes, ready to put up. Last summer we sold our order entirely out on some numbers, and each case our customer was entirely satisfied.



A child can place one of these awnings in position, they coming complete with all screws and staples.

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We invite inspection of these Awnings now on display in our store on the second floor, as to quality, workmanship and durability.

The Prices Are:  
2 ft. 6 in., complete, ..... \$2.00.  
3 ft., complete, ..... \$2.25.  
3 ft. 6 in., complete, ..... \$2.50.  
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Hammocks and Lawn Swings.  
Never since we have been in business has our stock of Hammocks and Lawn Swings been so complete. Never have such strong durable and beautiful colored Hammocks been displayed by us. Our Lawn Swings are made of select with bolts of extra weight.

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